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Organ extravaganza concert to be held March 21

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The organ extravaganza celebrating Winchester's 175th anniversary and Johann Sebastian Bach's 340th birthday will be held Friday, March 21 at 7:30 p.m. at First Congregational Church, Winchester. FILE PHOTO

The following was submitted by the First Congregational Church:

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Live in-person and live streamed from the historic Sanctuary at First Congregational Church, Winchester, come celebrate two important historical events on Friday evening, March 21, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The organ extravaganza celebrating Winchester's 175th anniversary and Johann Sebastian Bach's 340th birthday will feature four of Winchester's best organists: Jeffrey Mead, First Congregational Church; Jeremy Bruns, Parish of the Epiphany; John Kramer, Winchester Unitarian Society; Jane O'Keefe, retired, St. Mary's Parish.

Residents will gather for a special organ recital, exploring the colors, sounds and registrations of FCC's C. B. Fisk, Opus 50, known as "Winchester Old," a kaleidoscope at the organists' fingertips.

As we honor Winchester's 175th, join us for Bach's Birthday Bash; it promises to delve into the profound beauty and influence of Bach's music, featuring not only the music of the composer himself – but also music influenced by and inspired by the old master.

Tickets; $20, general admission; Students, $5. – both live and live-streamed.

To purchase tickets, visit https://tr.ee/organ175

All proceeds will benefit the Immigrant Support Alliance (ISA), a network of volunteers that welcomes and assists newly arrived individuals and families as they gain footholds in our communities. Specifically, ISA helps navigate healthcare, transportation, education, cultural norms, life skills, daily needs, employment opportunities, and English as a second language classes.

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Winchester Foundation for Educational Excellence hosting 23rd Trivia Bee

Winchester's brightest fifth graders and adults will gather soon to compete in a fierce trivia competition that will raise money for Winchester schools. The Winchester Foundation for Educational Excellence (WFEE), a nonprofit that provides grants for Winchester's public schools, will host its 23rd annual trivia bee March 11

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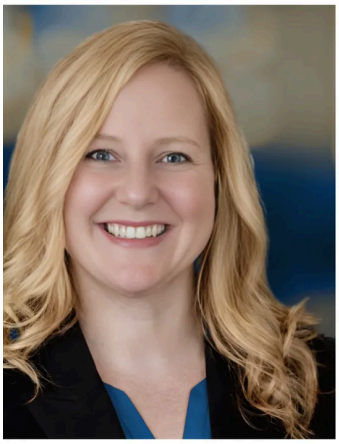

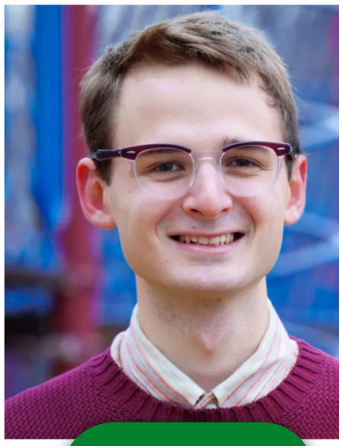

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Two candidates for Winchester's School Committee will face voters at a forum as the district navigates a new literacy curriculum, budget pressures and questions about student mental health. Heather von Mering and John Bellaire are competing for an open seat on the School Committee, which oversees a budget von

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